

Case No. YAMAP057505

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Mamoru SHOJI et al.

Serial No.: 09/089,901

Filing Date: June 3, 1998

For: OPTICAL DISK APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SETTING CONTROL PARAMETERS

Examiner: Aristotelis M. Psitos

Art Unit: 2752

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Box AF
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed September 15, 2000, finally rejecting claims 1-20.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

☒ other than a small entity.

☐ a small entity.

A verified statement

☐ is attached.

☐ was already filed on _____.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☐ small entity \$150.00

☒ other than a small entity \$310.00

Notice of Appeal Fee Due \$ 310.00

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(3)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 390.00	\$195.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 890.00	\$445.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,390.00	\$945.00

Fee \$ 390.00

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If additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

— An extension for ___ months has already been secured.
The fee paid therefor of \$___ is deducted from the total
fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$_____

OR

(b) — Applicant believes that no extension of term is required.
However, this conditional petition is being made to
provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently
overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension
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4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$ 310.00

Extension fee (if any) \$ 390.00

TOTAL FEE DUE \$ 700.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

X Attached is a check in the sum of \$ 700.00.
— Charge Account No. 18-0988 the sum of \$_____.
— (A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.)

6. FEE DEFICIENCY

— If any additional extension and/or fee is required,
charge Account No. 18-0988.
and/or

— If any additional fee for claims is required,
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referenced as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited on the below date with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Box AF, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Dated: February 14, 2001

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